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1. In connection with ADSO's memo, dated 8 November 1949, to DCI, regarding an investigation into the field of communications by the Senate Interstate & Foreign Commerce Committee, I have discussed this matter with [REDACTED] Commo Officer, CIA, and he will coordinate all material through this office.

2. Discussed the above subject with Mr. Larkin, General Counsel, Office of Secretary of Defense, who informed me that the Bureau of the Budget is considering the establishment of a Presidential committee to cover the same field. Informed Mr. Larkin of our interest in this matter from a security standpoint.

3. Mrs. Cassell, of the Magazine & Book Branch in the Department of Defense, requested a copy of the CIA portion of the Hoover Commission Task Force report on national security to deliver to the author, Mr. Fletcher Pratt. Informed Mrs. Cassell that copies could only be available through Sen. McClellan, Chairman of the Senate Expenditures Committee. Spoke to Miss Grickis, assistant clerk of the Committee, in the absence of Mr. Reynolds, and told her that Senator McClellan had agreed to impound this section of the Report. She had not heard of it, but agreed not to release it pending further information from Mr. Reynolds or the Senator.

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Requested Dr. Griffith, Chief, Legislative Reference  
Service in the Library of Congress, not to release CIA portions of the  
Hoover Task Force Reports for other than official purposes.